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Mr. Frederick R. Dowsett Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South Denver, Colorado 80222-1530

Dear Mr. Dowsett:

The Department of Energy, Rocky Flats Field Office (DOE/RFFO) and Kaiser-Hill Company, L.L.C. (K-H) requests written confirmation from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (Division) accepting the clarification that discharges from the operation of the Building 374 (B374) evaporator will be sample quarterly for the purpose of implementing the B374 Product Water Monitoring Plan.

The B374 Product Water Monitoring Plan was originally submitted to the Division pursuant to a commitment made by the Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site (Site) in a 1989 agreement concerning the water recycling practices at the Site. The Product Water Monitoring Plan outlines the sampling and analysis requirements for the B374 product water. The sampling and analytical data are used to demonstrate that the product water is essentially equivalent to raw water and therefore excluded from regulation as a solid or hazardous waste when re-used on-site. The plan specifies monthly monitoring of the B374 product water.

The Site has been conducting the monitoring and analysis since 1992. Results demonstrate that the B374 product water has consistently met the prescribed limits. The generation of product water has also been curtailed significantly as the Site proceeds towards closure. Therefore, the Site requests that for the purpose of implementation of the B374 Product Water Monitoring Plan, that the Division accepts sampling once per quarter. This request reflects the change in operations of the B374 evaporator from a continuous basis to an as-needed basis and is not intended as a reduction in the routine monitoring frequency.

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If you have questions, please contact Andy Rosenman at (303) 966-3687.

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Sincerely,

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U.S. Department of Energy Rocky Flats Field Office

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